

109TH CONGRESS  
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# H. R. 669

To amend title 32, United States Code, to increase the maximum Federal share of the costs of State programs under the National Guard Youth Challenge Program.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 8, 2005

Mr. WILSON of South Carolina (for himself, Mr. BAKER, Mr. GINGREY, Mr. OWENS, Mr. DEFazio, Mr. CASE, Mr. WHITFIELD, Mr. KIND, Mr. MCCrERY, Mr. PICKERING, Mr. SIMMONS, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. RUPPERSBERGER, Mrs. CAPITO, Mr. MARSHALL, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. PASTOR, Mr. MCINTYRE, Mr. SPRATT, Mr. YOUNG of Alaska, Mr. RAHALL, and Ms. HOOLEY) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Armed Services

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## A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

### 3 **SECTION 1. FEDERAL ASSISTANCE FOR STATE PROGRAMS**

#### 4 **UNDER THE NATIONAL GUARD YOUTH CHAL-** 5 **LENCE PROGRAM.**

6 (a) MAXIMUM FEDERAL SHARE OF COSTS OF STATE  
7 PROGRAMS.—Section 509(d) of title 32, United States

1 Code, is amended by striking paragraphs (1), (2), (3), and  
2 (4), and inserting the following new paragraphs:

3 “(1) for fiscal year 2005, 60 percent of the  
4 costs of operating the State program during that  
5 year;

6 “(2) for fiscal year 2006, 65 percent of the  
7 costs of operating the State program during that  
8 year;

9 “(3) for fiscal year 2007, 70 percent of the  
10 costs of operating the State program during that  
11 year; and

12 “(4) for fiscal year 2008 and each subsequent  
13 fiscal year, 75 percent of the costs of operating the  
14 State program during that year.”.

15 (b) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—For fis-  
16 cal year 2006, there is authorized to be appropriated to  
17 the Secretary of Defense \$85,163,000 to carry out the Na-  
18 tional Guard Youth Challenge Program under section 509  
19 of title 32, United States Code.

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